Battle Between Bat and Bug.

Last evening as one of our citizens was walking along Main street, near the Woodbine, he saw something fall to the ground, and on looking down saw it was alive: Securing it with his umbrella he found it was a bat. It was carefully taken up with a pair of tongs and taken into Woodbine, when it was discovered that the bat was having a struggle for life with a large brown bug, something like a beetle bug, but farger: The bug had a powerful pair of horns, curving forward, full half an inch long, perhaps more, and had forced one of these horns into the eye of the bat and the other into its mouth, while with its legs it kept a firm held on the fur of the bat, and the bat was unable to get rid of its little antagonist. Bat and bug were placed under a glass cover, and watched for sometime with a good deal of interest by quite a number. The bat was apparently much exhausted, but made a gallant and masuccassful fight. It was at so much disadvantage that it was forced to lie upon its back, and its feet were of no use. It bit, or rather tried to bite, but to no avail, as the one thing it could bite was the horn of the bug, which didn't seem to mind the were of no use. It bit, or rather tried to bite, but to no avail, as the one thing it could bite was the horn of the bug, which didn't seem to mind the biting. The bat was bleeding and the bug appeared to be sucking the bat's blood. The bat would struggle for a few moments until exhausted, and then take a brief rest, while the bug remained calm and quiet as if it were aware it had a sure thing. The sympathy of the witnesses was with the bat, and finally it was desired to separate them. This was no easy matter. No one cared to take hold of either of the combatants, so a couple of wires were procured, and after a while, by hard, careful work, the bug's back was broken, though it held on to the very last, giving way leg by leg. No sooner was it free than it jumped across the glass like a flash, and landed again on the face of the bat. It was not allowed to secure a good hold this time and in a moment was under a separate glass. The bat lay down as if entirely exhausted, and half an hour later was evidently dying and was thrown away. The struggle lasted about three quarters of an hour from the time the contestants fell to the sidewalk until they were separated.—

Pawtucket Letter to the Providence Journal.

The Story of Floyd Ireson.

We have all read Whittier's story of they reached Marblehead, fearing the indignation of their brave neighbors, they agreed to place all the blame the skipper, and the story was

Ireson, however, after he had been tarred and feathered and ridden through the town and back again, said to the men and boys, "you will live to regret all this," and they did—for the true story came out later, and it is a pity the poet Whittier did not know what the true story was ere his graceful pen put in shape the wicked lie as it was told by the cowardly crew of the Betty.—Rev. G. Q. Shinn.

Ane introduction of open prepaces makes the preservation of the complexion a necessity, therefore hand-screens similar to those used by generations passed away are again added to the luxuries of the times. Naturally these screens are lighter than fans. Some of delicate gauze are mounted on bamboo and exquisitely painted with objects from opera bouffe; Hero holding the torch for Leander; Diana in a hunting dress, taller than her attendant nymphs, with a bow in her hand, a quiver suspended across her shoulders, a silver crescent over her forehead; birds, butterflies, flowers, are also represented, painted or sometimes embroidered on gauze, silk or kid, and mounted on sticks of tortoise shell, bamboo, chony, ivory or violet wood.

mounted on sticks of tortoise shell, bamboo, ebony, ivory or violet wood. Others are of plain silk or gauze decorated with a detached lace spray or quite covered with a piece of antique lace and coquettish knots of ribbon dotted about, or spray of flowers.

The Phænicians, who were a great commercial people in the young days of the world, are thought to have given the present name of most of the countries around the Mediterranean Sea.

The Phænician language contained the Phonician language contained the ds Europe, Asia, Africa, Italy, in, Gaul, Britain, Ætna, Sardinia and Siberia, as well as many others now used as the names of minor places, Europe, in Phonician meant "white supplied to the complexion," and was applied to the country north of the Mediterranean because the natives were a lighter complexion than those of Asia or Africa. Africa signified "the land of corn," and Asia meant "the middle land," sing so named because it was between urope and Africa. Italy was the country of black pitch;" Spain was a "land of rabbits;" Gaul, or France, the "land of rabbits; tadi, or France, the "land of yellow bair;" Britain, the "country of tin;" Ætna, "the smoky furnace;" Sardinia, "a man's foot," and Siberia, "thirsty land," because it is so dry.

Hanging Makes the Muscles Rigid.

It is strange how a little steady pressure on the windpipe affects people. Of course it chokes them, but that is no reason why they shouldn't be able to move their limbs. They seem to lose all control over their muscles and give right in. I remember a case that occurred in Brockville, Ma., when I was one will be permitted to exhibit right their own stock.

No persons but the efficers of the Fair, judges and grooms of stock will be allowed to go inside of the ring during the exhibition of stock, and no one will be permitted to interfere with a young man. A woman, the wife of a wealthy sea captain, threw a skein of yarn over the top of an open door one day and sticking her head through the bight that hung down doubled up her son competing for a premium before knees so her feet could not touch and such committee.

one will be permitted to interfere with the awarding committee.

No one shall act on the awarding horses shall make a dead heat the horses shall start for the succeeding heat in the same position they occupied at the finish of the dead heat. In 130 best half gallon sorgham, in gloss, at the horse stretch each horse. emained in that position until she boked to death. One would natural-

Fairs for Year 1885.

TOWN.	COUNTY.	DATE.	SECRETABLES.
K EYTESVILLE,		OCT. 6-5 days	WM.E. HILL, Prest.
Mexico	Audrain	Aug.11-5 days	John. J. Steel
Fulton	Callaway	Aug.18-5 days	J. W. Baynham
Brownsville	Saline	Aug.18-5 days	B. J. Bellamy
St. Louis	St. Louis	Oct. 5-6 days	F. J. Wade
Maryville	Nodaway	Aug.24-6 days	S. V. McMillan
Columbia	Boone	Aug.25-5 days	J. W. Lawson
St. Joseph	St. Joe. Exposit n	Aug.31-6 days_	Chas. F. Ernst
Kahoka	Clark	Sept. 1-5 days	W. H. Bishop
Marshall	Saline	Sept. 1-5 days	Ed. J. Orear
Shelbina	Shelby	Sept. 1-4 days	P. M. Hanger
Troy	Gasconade	Sept. 1-4 days	W. H. Wells
Herman	Gasconade	Sept. 4-2 days	Wm. Hersog
Newark	Knox	Sept. 7-5 days	Wm. Kendrick
Edina	Knox	Sept. 7-5 days	Jas. E. Adams
Memphis Moberly	Scotland	Sept. 7-4 days	C. G. Mettz
Moberly	Rendolph	Sept. 8-5 days	W. A. Wight
Kansas City	Randolph Inter State Fair	Sept.14-6 days	E. H. Webster
Albany	Gentry	Sept.14-6 days	J. B. Hoss
Wilmington	N E Mo District	Sept.14-5 days	R. C. Risk
Brookfield	Linn	Sept. 15-5 days	Chas, Green
Paris	Monroe	Sept.15-5 days	Joe. E. Moss
Washington	Franklin	Sept.17-3 days	F. H. Thias
Platte City	Platte	Sept. 22-5 days	E. C. Cockrite
Montgomery City		Sept.25-5 days	J. R. Hance
La Grange	Lewis		A. Bozarth
West Plains	Howell	Sept: 23 8 days	T. J. Whiteman
Capa Girardeau .	S E Mo District	Oct. 13-5 days	H. A. Asthalr
Palmyra	Marion	Oct. 13-5 days	F. W. Smith
Jerseyville, Ill	Merion Jersey		M. R. Locke

In speed rings an entry fee of Ten per cent. Three entries and Two in

speed rings, which shall be made by the night before, excepting, only the

Complimentary tickets are not trans-

Every rule in this premium list will be strictly adhered to and no secup-

No premiums paid until last day of

No privileges granted, or inoth rented until money is paid.

All premiums not claimed within

New stalls have been built this year

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Positively no Checks given at the Gate

RULES FOR SPEED RINGS.

1 All trotting races shall be governed by the rules of the National Trotting Association, and all running races

the Lexington Association and by

2. Three entries and two starters

required in all purses, and no money

3. In heats, where 8 or more horses start the distance shall be 150 yards.

In heats of one mile 50 yards shall be

a distance. In heats of half a mile 30

5. In any case where a driver is run

heat shall be deemed no heat so far as

6. The judges shall inform the rid

for a walkover.

these rules and regulations as hereaf-

20 days after the fair will be forfeited.

first days races, when they can made up to 1 o'clock of that day.

the office near the gate.

LIST of PREMIUMS plate. In all rings an entry fee of Fifteen per cent. will be charged, and Three or more entries.

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sinking condition. Ireson called his lay of more than one thousand dollars Two-horse hack & driver, a day 2 00 crew together and consulted with them as to what should be done. They all declared it was madness to risk their own lives in an attempt to rescue the crew of the Active. Ireson then wanted them to lie by the wreck for and abroad, from the North and the North a the night, and then try to save them, but the crew demurred, and compelled with us attending the liveliest, gayast and pleasantest Fair in North Misand pleasantest Fair in North Missouri. We have started out to have the best Fair and propose to accom-plish that end regardless of cost.

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REGULATIONS.

Every article or animal entered for yards shall be a distance.

4. The judges shall draw for the position of the horses, and give notice rol of the officers of the Fair, and the ociety will take all proper care-hav- to all parties to prepare for the race at ing a day and night police always on the appointed time. The judges shall the ground during the entire week. not notice complaints of foul from any But the president will, in no case, be person orpersons except those appoint sponsible for any loss or damage that ed by the judges for that purpose an the riders or drivers of the race. may occur.

The Marshal, Police and Officers of he Society are clothed with all the into and his wagon or salky broken owers of peace officers that the sher- down without fault on his part the ff of county has.

Gentlemen are politely requested to refrain from smoking or spitting on the seats during exhibitions.

No gambling, drunkenness, or other immorality will be allowed on or near course; or if, by an outside interferthe Fair Grounds, and strict order and lecorum will be entorced. An effi-down in a race the heat shall be cent police will be in attendance to enforce order and eject all drunken and disorderly persons from the grounds.

down in a race deemed no heat.

6. The judges of the product of the pro

choked to death. One would naturally think that when she became unconscious her muscles would relax and allow her feet to drop to the floor, but him shall again sorghum, in glass, coming in the home stretch each horse shall keep the position first selected, except the hindmost horse, who when allow her feet to drop to the floor, but shall grite number to the hindmost horse, who when hindmost horse, which had not have the hindmost horse had not had n allow her feet to drop to the floor, but such was not the case. Hanging or choking seems to make every muscle as rigid as iron.—Boston Globe.

bin, but shall write numbers, to there is sufficient room to pass on the which, in his opinson, the premiums inside, or anywhere on the homeand certificates should be awarded and deposite the same in the ballot-ers, shall be allowed to do so. A Minnesota man tells Gath that prairie chickens are even more abundant there now than formerly, but the race has changed; their legs are feathered, and their meat, from feeding in the wheat-fields, has become a delicate white With 3 pounds allowed in all cases 141 best pair wool mittens for mares and geldings. tane man comes to the front curing the greatest number of votes. In case of a tie an additional judge shall be appointed by the President until the award is made.

Of a clump tor simply awful. 9. The entrance fee to all speed rings will be 10 per cent, of the purse.

10. Any horse distancing the field, per any part the real, will be entitled to

ed or not permitted to make their best

where there is a squable. or sufficient | 158 best hand braiding ...

ing for premiums shall be computed 163 best tatting

FIRST DAY.

Fruits and Vegetables,

CLASS 1 .- ENTRY PREE .- Plate. 1 Best half bushel winter apples 2 best half bushel fall apples 3 best half bushel peaches ... 4 best half bushel pears... 5 best half busher plumbs.. 9 best half dozen muskmelons. 10 best half dozen squash 16 best half bushel sweet potatoes 17 best half dozen yams.... 18 best half bushel onions. No person will be permitted to see the entries before the award is made.

All entries should be made by 10 o'clock A. M. of the day the animal or article is to be exhibited, except for 21 best half bush l parsnips 22 best half bushel carrots, 25 best half bushel radiahes ... 24 best half bushel tomatocs...

Staples.

CLASS 2 .- ENTRY FREE .- - Plate. 26 Best 10 stalks shipping leaf tobacco\$ 27 best 10 stalks Burley leal tobacco... otherwise advertised.

No money will be taken at the gate 28 best twenty-five ears white corn... 25 best twenty five care yellow corn, 30 best half bushel fall wheat 31 best half bushel oats 34 best half bushel clover ... 37 best half bushel millett

25 best half bushel cucumbers ..

38 best half bushel hungarian...... 39 best half bushel blue grass...... 40 best half bushel Lima beans..... Pantry.

CLASS 3 .- ENTRY FREE .- Plate.

41 Best jar apple preserves.. ... 47 best jar blackberry preserves . 40 heat jar ouince preserves 50 best jar crab apple preserves. 51 best jar gooseberry preserves 52 best jar rhubarb preserves.... 53 best jar tomato preserves 56 best jar citron preserves 57 best canned apples in glass 58 best canned penches in glass ... 59 hest canned nectarinas in glass....
60 best canned apricots in glass... 61 best canned strawberries in glass

63 best canned gooseberries in glass. 64 best canned respheries in glass 65 best canned pruling in glass 66 best canned Siberian crab in glass [Not Less that three Glasses.] 67 best steawherry jelly

72 best grape jelly 73 best gooseberry jelly 74 bast Siberian crab jelly 75 best raspberry jelly 76 best damson jelly..... 77 best green gauge jelly.... 78 best cherry jelly.....

[Not less than one Pint.] 79 best cucumber pickle 80 best peach pickle. 81 best cabbage pickle 82 best onion pickle 83 best mixed pickie 84 best sweet pickle 85 best chowchow pickle 86 best mango pickle ... 87 best egg pickle... 88 best apple pickle.... 89 best cherry pickle . 90 best pear pici le..... 91 best tomato catsup 94 best raspherry jam ..

99 best cordial, do 100 best vinegar, do Kirchen and Storeroom. CLASS 4 .- ENTRY FREE .- Plate.

98 best wine, made in Chariton county

96 best crab apple jam . 97 best apple butter ...

disorderly persons from the grounds.

Should it rain any day of the Fair that day's programme will be passed over and omitted.

All entries in the Hall must be made previous to 12 o'clock M., of Wednesday, the second day of the Fair.

It shall be the duty of the Fair.

It shall be the duty of the Fair.

It shall be the duty of the Grounds and Preserves,..., Ching Teg Set and Preserves,..., Chi 7. The winning horse in the heat shall take the pole the succeeding heat and all others shall take their position in the order in which they came home the last heat When two or more

CLASS 5 .- ENTRY FREE .- Plate. [Not less than fice yards.]

140 hest pair woolsocks

139 best wood vara, not lets than 5 knots 145 hest culton coverlet.
144 hest and pinthes, made by lady
145 hest linen shirt hazom

declared off where the horses are pull- Ornamental Home Work. CLASS 6 .- ENTRY FREE .- Plate.

11. Any driver or rider that fouls any competing horses to interfere with his speed will be ruled out of the race and sent to the stable, and the race to be declared off or run over by the rest of the horses, to be determined by the judges of the race.

12. The Association claims the right to postpone and declare off races where there is a soupple, or sufficient.

where there is a squable. or sufficient cause, and entrance money then refunded.

13. The ages of all animals compet162 best dressed baby doll.
162 best dressed baby doll. from January 1st of the year they 164 best tapestry 165 best fancy knitting 166 best fancy mats..... 167 best ottoman cover .. 168 best chair cover..... 169 best sofa cushion

170 best pair braided or embroidered pillow cases.....
171 best boquet cut flowers
172 best shell work....... 173 best hair switch, waves or frizes ... 174 best charm string 175 best leather work... 176 best feather work

177 heat bead work 178 best fly brush... 179 best chenile embroidery 180 best etching.....
181 best bed ranm tollet set, crotcheted

three pairs, Paintings, Etc. CLASS 7 .- ENTRY FREE .- Plates. 185 best collection photographs..... 186 best specimen pencil drawing 187 hest specimen crayon drawing .. 188 best specimen water colors... 189 best specimen oil painting, canvas...

190 best specimen same, porcelain -191 best natural curiosity 192 best curiosity, work of art..... 193 best collection of pictures, I person 194 best collection paintings, I person 195 best collection causry birds....... 196 best collection wild animals .. 197 best collection insects & butterflies 198 best collection stuffed birds.

199 best specimen penmanship. Agricultural & Mechanical 315 Fastest running horse; mare or geld-ing, 2-year-old, half mile dash ... \$100 CLASS 8.—ENRTY FREE

200 Best steam thresher and separator, three entries-plate 201 best mower and reaper.... 202 best hay stacker ... 203 best hay rake..... 204 best harrow..... 205 best wheat fan..... .Diploma Diploma 1 211 best two horse plow. 1 212 best three horse plow. 213 best double-shovel plow 216 best farm gate. 1 219 best faun wason... 1 220 best spring wason... 1 221 best top buggy.... 1 222 best open buggy....

THREE-YEAR OLD RACE .- \$25 227 Fastest running horse, mare or golding, owned in Chariton county for 12 months past- | mile dash 11, \$25 PONY RACE .-- 815 228 Fastest pony 14 hands and under, best two in three, half-mile beats, First......\$10

Foot Races. "ASS 9 .-- ENTRY FREE -- 3 Entries 229 Man's race, 120 vards......Cup 230 boys under 15 years, 100 ya. Cup 231 boys under 12 years, 80 yards Cup 232 boys under 8 years, 60 yards Cup 233 fat man's race, to weigh 200 lbs

Hogs. CLASS 10.

237 best Berkshire boar. 238 best Berkshire sow .. 239 best Chester White boar. 240 best Chester White sow 241 best Yorkshire boar .. 242 best Yorkshire sow. SWEEPSTAKES 243 best boar, any breed .. 244 best sow; any breed Sheep.

CLA88 11. 245 best buck, any age or breed\$10 246 best ewe, any age or breed Poultry.

CLASS 12. 247 Best pair chickens .. 248 best pair turkeys ... 249 best pair geese..... 250 best pair ducks..... 251 best pair guinens... 252 best pair penfowls RIDING.—ENTRY FREE.—3 Entries. 342 best model horse, any age or sex... 25.1 Best lady rider 254 best girl rider under 10 years Cup

256 best boy rider under 15 years ... LADIES' RACE .- ENTRY FREE. Three Entries 257 half mile dash-Pair Gold Bracelets \$20 Saddle Horses.

CLASS 13. -2 Entries, 258 Best stallion under I year...... 259 best stallion 1 year and under 2 ... best stallion 2 years and under 3 ... best stallion 3 years and under 4 ... 262 best stallion 4 years and over..... 263 best mare under 1 year...... 264 best mare 1 year and under 2..... 265 best mare 2 years and under 3 266 best mare 3 years and under 4

Cattle. CLASS 11 .- 3 Entries. SWEEPSTAKES. 278 best bull any age...

283 best herd, I male and 4 female. SPEED RING .- \$85 284 Fastest running horse, mare or golding, any age-quarter dash... 35 THIRD DAY. Jacks and Jennets.

CLASS 15 .- 3 Entries. SWEEPSTAKES. 294 best jennett 1 year and under 2..... 295 best jennett under 1 year..... SPEED RINGS .- 3 Entries.

296 Fastest jack, half mile dash...... 10 297 Fastest mule, half mile dash 10

> Horses. CLASS 16 .- 3 Entries.

298 Best brood mare & colt by side \$10 299 best same with mule colt .. 300 best horse colt 301 best mare colt. 302 best mule colt.

Mules.

CLASS 17 .- 3 Entries. SWEEPSTAKES.

303 best mule any age or sex... 304 best pair mules any age or sex..... 10 305 Best mule 4 years and over..........\$10 306 best mule 3 years and under 4..... 10 307 best mule 2 years and under 3..... 5 308 best mule 1 year and under 2..... 309 best mule under 1 year 310 best buggy mule... 311 best saddle mule... 312 best draft mule...

> Buggy Horses. CLASS 18 .- 3 Entries.

3 313 best buggy horse, either sex\$10

314 best pair buggy borses, either sex 10 SPEED RING .-- 8100

HALF MILE HEATS-3-YEAR OLDS 316 Fastest running horse, mare or

HALF-MILE HEATS-PLOW HORSES 317 Fastest plow horse, best 2 in 3..... \$10

FOURTH DAY. Draft Horses,

CLASS 19,-3 Entries

319 Best stallion 4 years and over \$20 320 best stallion 3 years and under 4.. 15 322 best stallion I year and under 2...
323 best stallion under I year.....

Blooded Horses, CLASS 20 .- 3 Entries. Pedigree to be determined by Stud Book

or Turf Register. 324 Best blooded stallion, any age....... \$20

Lady Drivers, CLASS OI .- ENTRY FREE, 326 best lady driver; 1 or 2 horses Cup

Roadsters, CLASS 22,-8 Entries.

SECOND DAY. 327 Best roadster stallion, any age.....\$20 328 best roadster mare, any age..... SPEED RING,-3 Entries.-\$100

mare or galding, in harness or under saddle, a mile heats, 2 in 3...100 First, \$85-second, \$15.

First, \$85-second, \$15. FARMERS' RACE .- ENTRY FREE 331 Fastest farm horse, half mile heats best 2 in 3..... First, \$6-second, \$3-third, \$1.

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FIFTH DAY. Farm Horses.

CLASS 28 .- To be shown at will. 332 Best stallion; 4 years and over\$1 333 best stallion 3 years and under 4 ... 334 best stallion 2 years and under 3...
335 best stallion 1 year and under 2...
336 best stallion under 1 year 2 339 best mare 2 years and under 3... 2 340 best mare 1 year and under 2.....

> Harness Horses. CLASS 24.

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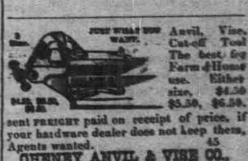
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